

REMARKS

The specification has been amended to cross-reference related applications. The claims have been amended to reduce filing fees and to comply with U.S. patent practice. These changes are described in detail below. Applicant reserves the right to pursue any cancelled subject matter in a future continuation or divisional application. No new matter has been added by the present amendment.

Amendment to the claims

Claims 3-5 have been amended, claims 12-67 have been cancelled, and new claims 68-87 have been added. Support for these changes is detailed as follows.

Claims 3-5 have been amended to eliminate multiple dependency. Support for claims 68 and 69 may be found, for example, in original claims 23 and 24. Support for claims 70-72 may be found, for example, in original claims 12-14, respectively. Support for claim 73 may be found, for example, in original claim 22. Support for claim 74 may be found, for example, in original claims 39-47. Support for claim 75 may be found, for example, in original claims 48 and 49. Support for claim 76 may be found, for example, in original claim 65. Support for claim 77 may be found, for example, in original claims 66 and 67. Support for claim 78-84 may be found, for example, in original claims 15-21, respectively. Support for claims 85 may be found, for example, in original claim 50. Support for claim 86 may be found, for example, in original claim 53. Support for claim

87 may be found, for example, in original claims 55 and 56. Support for claim 88 may be found, for example, in original claim 58. These changes add no new matter.


Conclusion

Enclosed is a check for \$1500.00, which includes filing fees and payment of excess claims fees for twelve (12) claims in excess of twenty (20) total claims. If there are any additional charges or any credits, please apply them to Deposit Account No. 03-2095.

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